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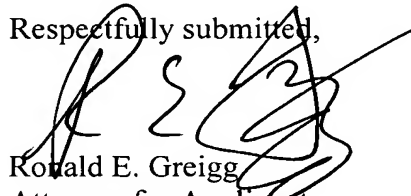
REMARKS

Counsel has made the required election based upon the examiner's restriction.

In addition, counsel has been advised by his client that the parent application on this invention has been allowed over such prior art as could be ascertained by the examiner there in the German Patent Office by combining claims 1 and 13. Applicant's US counsel has therefore taken comparable action hereinabove to render this application prospectively allowable, should the examiner find no better prior art than was done abroad.

Entry of the election, of the amendment and then allowance of the claims are courteously solicited.

Respectfully submitted,



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